

CLAIMS

What is claimed for this invention is:

1. A composition for releasing an adherent from a surface, comprising:

a first solvent selected for its low volatile organic compound (VOC) content and for its ability to soften or dissolve the adherent,

a carrier solvent selected for its low VOC content and its ability to keep the adherent softened even if the first solvent evaporates,

a supplemental solvent selected for its low VOC content and its additional solvent capacity and consumer appeal, and

a fragrance selected for its low VOC content and its consumer appeal,
the composition a combination of the said solvents and fragrance such that the composition possesses less than 3% VOC content,
the composition a combination of the said solvents and fragrance such that the proportion of first solvent in combination with the carrier solvent results in no residue left behind on the surface when the combination is used.

2. A composition as in Claim 1 where the first solvent is methylal comprising 6.2%, the carrier solvent is a light hydrotreated petroleum distillate comprising 92%, the supplemental solvent is ethanol comprising 0.8%, and the fragrance is a citrus fragrance comprising 1% of the composition by weight.

3. A composition as in Claim 1 where the first solvent is methylal comprising 3%, the carrier solvent is a light hydrotreated petroleum distillate comprising 95.7%, the supplemental solvent is ethanol comprising 0.3%, and the fragrance is a citrus fragrance comprising 1% of the composition by weight.

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